

# LICENSE MEASURE MAY BE ENACTED IN RICHMOND

WEATHER  
San Francisco and Bay Region

Cloudy and Mild Wednesday and Probably Thursday; Gentle Variable Winds.

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# HICKMAN MAPS BITTER FIGHT TO SAVE LIFE YEAR FIRE LOSS HERE AT MINIMUM

## The CORE

Col. Lindbergh arrived at Tegucigalpa, Honduras yesterday afternoon on a ship from San Salvador.

Gayle McNab, S. F. attorney and political leader, left provisions in his will whereby several clients who had invested and lost through his advice, might be recompensed. It was revealed when the instrument was filed for probate.

An ice phenomenon unknown in 30 years has incited the inland district of the Pacific Northwest with a blanket of snow 18 inches thick and frozen sheet on top to the depth of two inches. Highways are closed in all directions from Spokane.

Santa Claus brought a Vancouver boy an air rifle. Scene shifts to court where evidence showed: a woman was shot in the leg, a man's hat was punctured on both sides, 23 chickens were slain, 18 street lights were broken and a milk driver's horse ran away. The parents will pay the damage.

Dispatch of 1,000 marines to Nicaragua was ordered yesterday as the situation there assumed a serious turn.

The sum of \$1,000,000,000 was lent to foreign borrowers in 1927. Washington bankers estimate.

The Senate's investigation into the Mexican documents published in Hearst newspapers will be resumed today.

## News Vendors To Whisper Now As Tumult Barred

News vendors from outside cities who invade Richmond at all hours of the night with their raucous noises will find themselves in jail in the future.

City Attorney T. M. Carlson reported to the council that under section 415 of the Penal code, they could be arrested for disturbing the peace for tumultuous conduct.

"There is another remedy," said City Attorney Carlson, and that is to compel them to secure a police permit, and under an ordinance of this character, this objectionable character of a newspaper vendor could be barred.

## Building Started With New Homes

Permits amounting to \$5850 were issued yesterday by City Building Inspector A. J. Hurley.

A permit was issued to A. J. McNary to erect a one-story cottage on Forty-third street between Roosevelt and Wilson avenues at a cost of \$2000.

J. E. Hall was granted a permit to build a one-story cottage on San Benito street, between Kern and Coalings avenues, costing \$2300.

Dr. G. M. Bamberger will erect an addition to a garage on Tenth street between Barrett and Novis avenues at a cost \$50.

## VISIT LOCAL WOMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Graham of San Anselmo, formerly well-known Richmond residents, were visitors of Mrs. Cora H. English on Tenth street.

## BANKER HERE

Charles J. Orr, former president of the First National bank of Richmond, and now vice-president of the American Trust company of San Francisco, was a visitor in Richmond yesterday.

## INSANITY PLEA IS ENTERED TO COMBAT NOOSE

(By Universal Service)

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 3.—"Not Guilty By Reason Of Insanity." In these words William Edward Hickman, confessed kidnaper and slayer of 13-year-old Marian Parker, this afternoon entered his plea to an indictment charging kidnapping and murder.

PREDICT LONG TRIAL  
These words, it is taken for granted, marked the opening of a legal battle that will rival the famous Loeb-Leopold case. For Attorney Jerome Walsh, 25-year-old Kansas City attorney representing the 19-year-old defendant, outlined the nature of a defense that is expected to go into every detail of Hickman's early life through the testimony of relatives and associates.

Hickman's plea means that the question of sanity or insanity at the time of the kidnapping and murder will be the sole issue in the fight to inflict or avert the death penalty. The plea, by its nature, admits the commission of the offenses charged, according to legal authorities.

## SUMMON WITNESSES

Walsh's affidavit mentions only one name, that of Charles Edwards, Kansas City Police Officer to whom Hickman was paroled after a forgery conviction last summer. Walsh, according to the affidavit, has asked Edwards to locate all of Hickman's acquaintances, school associates, teachers, relatives and former employers.

From these persons Edwards is asked to "discover startling facts and strange circumstances" surrounding this boy's life and environment. This situation, demands that all these facts be obtained.

## AGE NOT ISSUE

The affidavit ends conjecture as to whether Hickman's age would be an issue in the fight to escape the death penalty. Walsh refers to Hickman as being "19 years old," removing all question as to whether he is old enough to be subject to a death sentence.

Walsh asked for more time than the thirty-day maximum allowed from the date of plea to the date of trial. This request was denied by Superior Judge Carlos Hardy, who set 9:30 a. m. Wednesday, January 25, as the time of trial, granting less than the thirty-day maximum.

At 2:12 p. m. Hickman, with six guards behind him, entered the courtroom. In the corridors outside, a crowd of 500 milled about. He was freshly shaved and manicured, and neat in every detail of his appearance. He wore the blue suit in which he had made a previous court appearance. His necktie was of dark brown silk, tied "sheikishly" in a heavy knot.

Standing before Judge Hardy, he listened to the question of the court.

"Have you any other attorney besides Mr. Walsh?"

## YOUTH CALM

"No," replied the youth, who has confessed in detail how he kidnapped the Parker girl, strangled her in his apartment, cut up the body and returned part of it to the father for \$1500 ransom.

Judge Hardy turned to Attorney Walsh.

"Have you filed any papers in regard to your plea?"

Walsh replied affirmatively, mentioning a personal affidavit. This affidavit, it was later revealed, related to Walsh efforts to obtain witnesses familiar with the defendant's early life.

Questioned further by the court, Attorney Walsh said his affidavit, (Continued on Page 5)

## Counsel



JEROME WALSH of Kansas City is counsel for Hickman, Los Angeles slayer. He is 25 and a member of the Missouri Legislature.

## CITY COUNCIL SESSION SHORT

The first meeting of the council of the new year was a short one. It was called to order at 8:05 and adjournment took place at 8:25.

## PERMITS GRANTED

On the recommendation of the city planning commission, the lot of S. Phillips at the southwest corner of Sixteenth and Chancery was changed from the residential to the commercial zone.

## REGIONAL MEETING

A communication was read notifying the council that the next meeting of the East Bay Regional Planning commission would be held at the hotel Oakland this evening. Representatives of the different east bay cities are expected to be present.

## GRATUITOUS LICENSE

E. P. F. Burns of 658 Sixth street, was granted a gratuitous peddlers license. Burns in his application stated he wished to sell Rawleighs products, but his health will not permit him to do hard manual labor.

## SOFT DRINK PERMIT

P. Gonsalves of 210 Macdonald avenue was granted a permit to sell soft drinks.

## NEW STREET LIGHT

On the recommendation of Councilman E. A. Martin, a street light was ordered installed at the corner of Rosalind and Carlston avenues. Martin stated he had inspected the location, and found that it was a dark place.

## TO FIX SHED

J. A. Christy of the Santa Fe informed the council that the shed on wharf No. 2, was to be remodeled, in order to protect goods in transit from the rain.

## Scottish Rite Ball

Set For Jan. 11

A concert and ball will be given in the new Scottish Rite temple in Oakland January 1, and will be open to members of the Scottish Rite bodies of the east bay district. The concert will start at 8:15 o'clock.

## IN PACIFIC GROVE

J. F. Scholes, deputy building inspector, returned to his duties at the city hall yesterday after a vacation of two weeks. Accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. O. Pearce, he spent the holidays with his son, E. E. Scholes, at Pacific Grove.

## BRIDGE BIDS TO BE HEARD ON FEBRUARY 7

MARTINEZ, Jan. 3.—At the request of Attorneys M. B. Jones and A. F. Bray, representing respectively the Richmond-San Rafael Ferry Company and the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge, Inc., applicants for toll bridge franchises, the Contra Costa board of supervisors today set February 6 as the date for formal application of the franchise with the understanding that the hearing will be continued until the following morning.

Attorney Jacobs in commenting on the Van Damme application declared:

## VITALLY IMPORTANT

"Of equal importance to residents, property holders and the motoring public of both the East Bay region and the North Coast counties is the application to build a giant bridge from Point San Quentin to Richmond by President Charles Van Damme, of the Richmond-San Rafael Ferry Company. The Van Damme application contemplates utilizing the present lanes of travel, exactly as the traffic has grown over the ferry company's plant."

According to Attorney Jacobs, legal representative of the Van Damme interests, the bridge will be so built that the State, County and Municipal highway plans will accommodate the public perfectly. Jacobs contends that the enormous expenditures for roadway would be conserved and enhanced by the proposed bridge. Jacobs said:

## PLEDGE FAITH

"The ferry company has kept faith with the motoring public. It has built up the service each year to meet the requirements of the demand. If the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors grant the Van Damme application as expected, the interests of the people of the State will be considered of paramount importance. It goes without saying that the bridge will be erected just as rapidly as possible under the supervision of the finest engineers in America. The ferry company is in a position to begin the work immediately."

## Judge McKenzie To Preside In 1928

MARTINEZ, Jan. 3.—With the resumption of court business after the holidays and with the start of the new year, Judge A. B. McKenzie, sitting in Department No. 2 of the Contra Costa Superior Court becomes the presiding judge for the year 1928.

Judge McKenzie, in his department, will handle the probate, criminal and naturalization calendars while the bulk of the law and motion calendar and civil work will be cared for in Department No. 1 by Judge H. V. Alvarado. The two judges, in conformance with established custom, alternate in the character of work assigned to their department each year.

## AWNING FIRE

A carelessly thrown cigarette is believed responsible for an awning at the La Moine Drug company, Ninth street and Macdonald avenue, yesterday. The fire was quickly extinguished and slight damage resulted.

## VISIT IN TAFT

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Neville of 613 Twelfth street and daughters Evelyn Jane and Edwina, have returned from a visit in Taft over the holidays.

## Survey Places C. C. Schools Second In 59 County Scope

MARTINEZ, Jan. 3.—Contra Costa county's elementary schools are ranked second in California in a survey of the school systems of 59 counties, recently completed by Helen Heffernan, commissioner of elementary schools. Results of the survey were made known today.

Relative efficiency of school systems was determined upon twelve factors, considered of prime importance in school rating. This rating has a maximum point average of 10,000.

Alameda county's schools were rated first in the state and scored 9,934. Contra Costa scored 9,734 points.

## TWELVE FACTORS

The twelve factors considered in ranking the relative standards of the state's schools were:

Average number of days schools were kept open; the percent average daily attendance as to enrollment; percent of children not retained; percent of teachers professionally trained, at least to the extent of being normal school graduates; percent of teachers who are college graduates; percent of increase in the cost of living since 1913-14, which has been met by increases in teachers' salaries; true county tax rate for elementary schools; true tax rate in districts by counties for schools; average annual salary for teachers; maintenance cost per each unit of average daily attendance; value of school property per unit of average daily attendance; and bonded indebtedness for schools per each \$1,000 of property valuation.

## HIGH RECORD

Alameda county gained its point advantage over Contra Costa on the bases of higher pay to teachers and a higher percentage of college graduates. On length of school terms and the percentage of students continuing in high school Contra Costa outranked its neighbor county.

"Alameda," ranking in college trained instructors is a natural one," officials declared today. "With its larger communities it has greater attraction. But, the survey in fundamentals of education does not accord Alameda any other advantage over Contra Costa. School officials of Contra Costa feel that the survey is a fine compliment to our institutions."

## East Attracted By Ford Plant Here

The location of the Ford plant in Richmond has drawn Richmond into the public eye, particularly in the East according to George R. Calvert, manager of the Richmond office of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, who has just returned from a trip to Chicago and Kansas City.

## First Baby Arrives With The New Year

To Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Suchak, of 5201 Edmond avenue, must be awarded the honor of being the parents of the first baby of 1928 to be born in Richmond. A baby girl arrived with the infant new year. Mother and child are reported to be doing nicely at the Richmond Maternity hospital here.

## RETURN TO SPOKANE

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson, have returned to their home in Spokane, Washington, after an extended visit here with Rev. and Mrs. Weldon Wilson.

## All Set for Elopement!



DANCER PLANS TO ELOPE! Word from Paris has it that Edythe Baker, pretty American dancer, and Rogin (Pop) D'Erlanger, youngest son of a titled British banker, are planning to elope to French capital. Edythe has just completed engagement in Lond.

## Council Studies Plan For Revenue Producing Tax On Activities Of All Kinds

"Do you think the license ordinance that Oakland is about to enact will stand the test of the courts?" asked Councilman Geo. F. Black, business man of the city attorney, at the council meeting last night.

"I do," replied City Attorney T. M. Carlson.

Out of that question and answer may come in Richmond an ordinance similar to the Oakland measure. It is a revenue producing measure, and will cover every form of activity, including the business man and the professional man.

## PRODUCES REVENUE

Such a measure would be a revenue producing measure, and as City Manager J. A. McVittie stated to the council Richmond

is one of the few cities in the state that has not a law of this kind.

Council Black stated he was of the opinion an ordinance of that character would be a good thing for the people of Richmond, as it would keep out an undesirable class of food vendors. A great deal of food that is not fit for human consumption is being peddled in Richmond at the present time, and it was his opinion the council should take action to protect its people.

City Attorney Carlson and City Manager McVittie will secure copies of license ordinances from other cities, and after making an exhaustive study of them will make their recommendations to the council.

## New City Directory Shows Big Population Increase

"Richmond is less than twenty-five years old. Since 1923 it has increased its population 66 percent." This statement is lifted bodily from R. L. Folk & Company's 1928 Richmond City Directory which was yesterday being delivered to subscribers by the compilers and publishers. It is not by any means the only interesting statement relative to Richmond that the Introductory Section of the 1928 City Directory contains. Beginning on page six and continuing through to page

thirteen is an interestingly written, and well illustrated story of "Richmond The Fourth Manufacturing City in the State of California." This particular section is well worth the time of any Richmond citizen in careful perusal.

## IN TWO SECTIONS

The 1928 City Directory, as in former editions, contains the Directory of Martines as well as that of Richmond. However, the two cities are in two distinct

## ONLY TWENTY FIRES ENTAIL LOSS IN YEAR

The report of the Richmond Fire department for the calendar year 1927, just ended, shows a condition of which Fire Chief W. P. Cooper and the residents of the city can feel proud.

It shows a fire loss for the year of but \$4,750.00, an average of but fifteen and a half cents per capita. It is believed this record cannot be equalled or excelled in any other city in the United States of similar population.

## 20 ENTAIL LOSS

During 1927 there were 123 alarms answered, and of this number 4 were false alarms and 9 were outside the limits of the city. Of the total number of alarms but 20 entailed a fire loss. During the same period there were 6346 inspections made and 1143 abatement of complaints.

## Regional Census Plan Approved

Although the council at its meeting last evening adopted a resolution asking the census department to include Richmond in the proposed metropolitan area, it inserted a clause in it requesting that a separate census of this city be made, so that it would not lose its identity.

The resolution was adopted on the statement of City Attorney T. M. Carlson, that he had conferred with City Manager McVittie, and the two had agreed there were advantages in the metropolitan area plan that should not be overlooked.

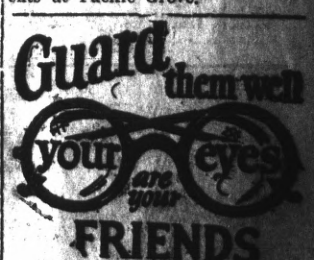
## Elks Slate Fete On Next Tuesday

A smoker and entertainment will be featured by the Richmond Lodge of Elks in the clubrooms next Tuesday night. Lester Thomas will be chairman of the committee planning for the event.

January 17 a class of candidates will be initiated during the visit of District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler C. Fenton Nichols. Candidates were balloted upon last night by the members.

Elks and their ladies will enjoy a whist party Saturday night, January 21 in the clubrooms. Prizes will be awarded to the holders of high scores. The committee in charge consists of John A. Miller, Frank Shubat, W. F. Wilson, Dan Bradley, R. H. Cunningham, Jack Snavely and W. W. McLarny.

Miss Margaret Jenkins has returned from a visit with her parents at Pacific Grove.



WHEN YOU can't recognize the beckoning of a friend across the street, if this type blurs a bit on the paper—when reading necessitates a strain—then the time to consult an oculist. See the "GUARD YOUR EYES" Section for dependable oculists.



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TURN TO PAGE 1928

What will the story be in 1928? On its page of records, will the world write happier and better reports of itself? That is our hope, anyhow, and the RECORD-HERALD'S resolution is to help in every way it can.

The immediate past has found the world progressing swiftly, a little disconcertingly so. Its cycle is repeating the earlier developments that have been recorded in histories, but with characteristic dumbness, most of the world doesn't perceive the comparison and so looks on things as new and startling beyond their true value. Only a backward perspective can truly evaluate the conditions under which we live.

The coming year will bring along a presidential election with all its clamor and posing, and industry will be slightly out of joint for a time, but so good are the foundations of prosperity that times will not suffer.

The consuming public will continue to pay installments, but it will be found before 1928 is closed that much of the necessities we have been buying have been paid for and we will take a long breath and create in our minds new deeds which were luxuries last year and go ahead buying them in turn.

The wheel turns; year follows year; generations develop their philosophies and art and science make their records as the world rolls on toward an inevitable and inscrutable destiny. We snatch a bit of happiness out of the swirling current of events and should be a great deal more satisfied than we are.

But for such happiness as constitutes our just deserts, this paper and all its people wish you a strong grip that you may catch and hold it until once more it is timely to wish you a Happy New Year.

### WARNS U. S.

The communist party congress which has been sitting in Moscow has given over the conversion of our workmen and is fearsome that their own party workers who come here may be corrupted, and many turn on their own faith. That is why it has issued its warning to the party leaders to beware of America and American industrial tendencies.

The president of the communist party congress denounced American workers as the aristocracy of labor whose high wages and better working conditions made them incomparably more comfortable than the workers farther to the East. He suggests that the condition of this American workmen aristocracy must be pointed out as an injustice to the Oriental coolies and the Eastern colored races.

Don't blame the Hearst papers for publishing Mexican documents. It's been years and years now since Hearst had a good war with the Mexicans.

While Henry Ford has been changing his car, a good many towns have neglected an opportunity, which may never come again, to change their paving.

### Vigorous Health

**WILL POWER.** Will power is a misnomer. There is no more power in the will than the power of choice. Of course, this is important, but of no actual value unless the course chosen is carried out. This requires power from another source.

What, then, is the so-called "strong will"? A strong will is merely one which chooses to do that which reason or conscience tells it to do, whether self likes to do it or not. Such a will is in closer touch with the real source of power which enables the individual to carry out the will's choice. How, then, can one cultivate a will which will choose to do the right thing and thereby called forth the power of God?

Many books have been written on this subject, and truly it is a many-sided one. A good will depends, the same as health, upon every phase of right living. In fact, health is the will's choice. How, then, can one cultivate a will which will choose to do the right thing and thereby called forth the power of God?

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Begin today to make your decisions and to choose your course of action decisively and then carry them out immediately and vigorously and you will be surprised at the rapid progress you make.

I am 16 years old and suffering with partial paralysis. This is a result of infantile paralysis at the age of 4. What treatment would you advise?  
**JIMMY**

It may be difficult to do much after such a length of time. However, the persistent use of spinal manipulation, passive and active exercise, deep breathing, sun baths, cold baths, plenty of sleep and proper diet will do everything possible. Constant effort is made to do more and more with the affected parts.

The milk diet or a largely raw food diet is generally employed. Progressive fasting has been found helpful in some cases.

What can I do for nervousness? The doctors do not find anything organically wrong.

Always we have one answer for these cases, correct the habits of living. Avoid all nerve irritant such as meat, tea, coffee, spices and condiments, all smoked and pickled foods, refined and fried foods, tobacco, alcohol and medicines. Practice mental and physical relaxation together with autoguggestions of peace, calmness, patience and perfect control of all thoughts and actions. Eat moderately of natural foods, exercise regularly and sleep plentifully.

**ANNA KRATKI**  
Tiny alreales and wire-haired terriers of chelle with pin backings are quite the thing in millinery accessories.

**DON'T LET HER GET TOUGH!**  
"If your wife can't cook don't divorce her. Keep her for a pet and eat here."—Restaurant.

## Affairs of the Heart and Your Marriage Problems

Patricia Lee

Patricia Lee answers questions relating to problems of married life. Names and address should be added to letters as a mark of good faith but will not be published. Readers who desire private answers should inclose a stamped self-addressed envelope and 10 cents in coin to cover cost of typing, etc. Because of space limitations it is not possible to print answers to all letters received, and readers who wish an early reply should take advantage of this special service. On account of the large quantity of mail coming to this department, about ten days should be allowed for a reply. Write to Patricia Lee, care of this paper.

Women believe today in the equality of the sexes in everything but love! It is inconsistent if they would only stop to think about it, or if when they do think they wouldn't make excuses. Why any girl thinks that she can play around with a man other than the one to whom she is engaged, and yet expect her fiancé to be absolutely true to her in every action and thought, is ridiculous. The old and hackneyed expression "What's sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander" still holds good.

I don't mean to confuse love and morals either. Don't you wish that we could for all time and time again be the same? So much has been said about the man who is untrue but listen to this from a girl: "Have been going with a man for several years. Last Christmas we became engaged but I never really true to him. I went out with several men of my acquaintance and he was suspicious and we always had words about it. Two months ago a friend of mine from out of town was here and I went with him Friday night and stayed out all night and went to my place of employment Saturday morning. Met him again Saturday evening and was out all night again."

"My fiancé questioned me and I told him I did it and asked him what he was going to do about it. Later I found two letters from a girl in his pockets and he admitted that he had been out with her because he was so upset about what I had done. He said that if he had been thinking that he probably would have gotten drunk."

"Do you suppose I can ever trust him again?"  
**Dear Patricia Lee:** While calling a girl friend on the phone, I left her card and telephone number in a phone booth by mistake. About two hours later I called her again and she was very indignant with me.

"The world is round, isn't it?"  
"Right-o."  
"Then if I wanted to go east, I could eventually get there by going west."  
"What are you, a taxi driver?"

### AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME



## What the Good Book SAYS

Rev. R. W. Keeler, D.D.

10. Where is "under his tongue is a sword?"—Psalm X:7.

A. "His mouth is full of cursing and deceit and fraud; under his tongue is mischief and vanity."—Psalm X:7.

Q. Did women witness the crucifixion of Jesus?—A. L. W. New York City.

A. "And many women were there beholding afar off, which followed Jesus from Galilee, ministering unto him."—Matthew XXVII:55.

Q. Did Jesus forgive sinners?—E. J. M. Jersey City, N. J.

A. "And He (Jesus) said unto her, Daughter, be of good comfort: thy faith hath made thee whole; go in peace."—Luke VIII:48.

Q. Did they purify silver in old times?—C. E. S. Dover, Del.

A. "The words of the Lord are pure words: as silver tried in a furnace of earth, purified seven times."—Psalm XII:6.

What Do You Know?

1. What is scarab?

2. Where did batik originate?

3. What is Vachel Lindsay?

4. What English poets were called members of the Freshly School?

5. Who is the author of "The Royal Road to Romance"?

6. Who was Philip Nolan and what author recorded his tragedy?

7. Who is the author of "The Prairie Wife"?

What Your Body Tells

THE MAN MEN FORGET HAS A FEEBLE WALK

You are as old as Your Walk

When one carries himself naturally in the right posture, with his head up, chin in, shoulders squared, spine straight, chest out and abdomen in, it is a sign of a youthful body and mind.

When one crawls along with the posture and gait of a feeble-aged invalid, like this lame victim, it is a sign of old age.

Some men walk like this at 40, while others, like Chauncey Depew, live to be 90 or more and retain the posture and step of youth.

This individual will very likely tell you he is suffering with rheumatism or lumbago, but he probably has a little laziness in his mental makeup also. Were I to give three prescriptions for keeping the spine young, I would say—EXERCISE, EXERCISE and EXERCISE. A spine that is subjected to constant exercise is the limber agile spine.

This chap has complained so long that most of his friends are bored by him and turn up another street when they see him approaching. Long-winded recitals of ailments have helped to bring about this habit and also his unpopularity. He is a hypocrite, ever sympathizing with himself. He lacks force, spunk, and the ability to realize that he is not the first to have lumbago.

Correct posture and a good snappy walk are the best prescriptions for both mental and physical afflictions.

**SKY HIGH!**

Passerby: Why are you lost, little girl?

Little Girl: Yes.

Passerby: Why didn't you hang on to your mother's skirts?

Little Girl: I couldn't reach them.

## BEWARE OF MARRIED MEN BY MARLINE DE HAAS

Copyright 1927, Warner Bros. Pictures Inc. "BEWARE OF MARRIED MEN," starring Irene Rich, is a Warner Bros. pictureization of this novel.

SYNOPSIS

Myra Martin, secretary to Leonard Gilbert, a prominent divorce lawyer to whom she is engaged, is guardian to her younger sister, Helene. In Gilbert's office Helene meets Huntley Sheldon, a notorious character, whose wife, Nita, is making a fourth attempt to divorce him. Myra warns her sister against Sheldon but Helene, although interested in Ralph Naylor, is fascinated by the man. Sheldon asks Helene to his hunting lodge, but Myra, disapproving, forbids Helene to go. Helene refuses to obey whereupon Myra locks her sister in her room, disguises herself, and starts in her car for the lodge.

CHAPTER VI—Continued

With her hat pulled low; her eyes staring to pierce the blackness before her, Myra sped on and on over the smooth road. Like a grim figure of approaching justice she seemed, with her set, determined mouth and her belligerent chin. Inside she was laughing, a little grimly, perhaps, but nevertheless laughing. Sometimes it all seemed like a part of a play—unreal, imaginary, something that she would wake from and look back on as a dream. Other times it was very real—only too real, and these times she brought her foot down hard on the accelerator, and the little car sped forward with renewed vigor.

After all, Mr. Sheldon, she was saying to herself, there are two can play at any kind of game. You've been acting long enough yourself; now we'll see what happens when someone else comes on the scene. You haven't any suscep-

hear the purr of a motor coming up the drive. He paid small attention to the sound, never dreaming that it was not his own car coming up his coast and prepared to welcome his guest. He heard the car door slam. He waited a moment, and then flung open the house door.

"Well—well—well!" The last words of his greeting trailed off into a bewildered silence. There, facing him, stood one of the strangest looking females he had ever seen in his life—and certainly not one he would ever have invited to Seven Oaks.

But the strange female paid not the slightest attention to her host. With a brusque nod she pushed past him and entered the room.

"So! You're Huntley Sheldon!" "I am." This woman's words had brought Sheldon out of his bewilderment. He closed the door and stood with his back to it, facing her. "And to what am I indebted for the honor of this unexpected visit?" He bowed slightly, but made no other effort to move.

"The famous Mr. Sheldon!" Myra's voice held a sting of sarcasm that could not help but penetrate even the both famous and bewildered Mr. Sheldon's brain.

Myra looked the man up and down with what she intended to be a withering glance. She gazed about the room. In her mind she was thinking almost her own words. So, this was Sheldon—Sheldon at home. The soft luxuriance of the entire atmosphere registered—but not in the sense in which it was expected to register. The sensuous warmth of light and color stole over her barriers, over the noxious parties took place. This was the—what should she call it? For a moment Myra was tempted to become melodramatic and think of it as the "gilded palace of pleasure." She shuddered and stood aloof at herself. Then she—

at Sheldon.

"You're quite alone?" She put the question purposely, to satisfy herself.

"Quite," Sheldon answered, a bit nervously. He looked at his watch. Nine o'clock. Good lord, Helene must arrive at any moment. He'd have to get this woman out of the house. Why had she come there for, anyhow—and why didn't she explain herself. He couldn't "throw" her out. After all, she was a woman, even though a rather poor caricature.

"Mr. Sheldon," Myra's words brought the man to attention. "I know you are wondering why I am here. But I shall come to my explanation directly."

Well, why the devil don't she, thought Sheldon. This was the "represent the Young Girls' Welfare League," Myra was primarily stating.

O, so that was it. Easy. Just another donation. He made a move towards his pocket book.

"You misunderstand me, Mr. Sheldon," Myra waved his proffer aside.

Suddenly Sheldon frowned. Where had he seen that gesture before? Even the face took on a familiar look. Surely, she must have met this woman's place, or spoken to her. The voice—there was something about that voice—it reminded him of something. But what? Where? How? Question after question came racing across his brain. That hopeless muddle of trying to place unimpressive people. She was unimpressive, there was no doubt about that. Perhaps she had solicited funds from him. That might explain it.

"I am not here to solicit funds for our organization," Myra was continuing. "I am here to warn you, once and for all, that your despicable practice of luring young girls to this place has gone far enough."

The words sounded theatrical, now that they were out, but Myra decided that they were no more silly than Sheldon's own when he had talked to Helene, and after all, one may fight fire with fire. She watched their effect, and saw that Sheldon looked slightly nervous. Good! Perhaps she had frightened him. That was a start, at least.

"You ought to be ashamed of yourself," Myra went on. "Your name, now, is so well known about town for this sort of thing that we felt it was high time to take up this matter. We realized that writing to such a character as you seem to be would do no good, so I volunteered to make a personal visit. And on this occasion I believe my presence here is highly justifiable."

"Just what do you mean?" Sheldon parried, still playing for time and trying to rouse his memory for facts.

"Mean that you are preying upon a young girl, scarcely out of her teens."

"Whom do you mean?" "You know very well who I mean," Myra was by this time worked up to an angry pitch. She was fairly sure of herself, now. Everything was going so well. "I mean Helene Martin."

(To be continued.)

INSTALLMENT ELEVEN

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# Society and Club News

## ST. EDMUND'S GUILD ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Officers for the new year were elected yesterday by St. Edmund's guild at a meeting with Mrs. E. H. Harlow, vice-president in charge.

The new officers are: Mrs. R. Tcherazay, president; Mrs. A. J. Hill, vice-president; Mrs. E. H. Harlow, second vice-president; Mrs. O. Powell, secretary; and Miss Caroline Rogerson, treasurer.

According to an announcement made, the annual parish dinner will be held next Tuesday in the guild hall. Church officers will be elected and reports will be delivered by the various organizations.

Plans are being made for the Epiphany tea to be held Friday January 13. The next meeting of the guild will be Tuesday when Mrs. Beth Adams and Mrs. Mollie Bonham will be hostesses.

## Clarence Freeman Oakland Girl Are Married

The marriage of Clarence Elliott Freeman of Richmond to Miss Ruth Evelyn Ramsdell of Oakland took place last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alwyn Springer, brother in law and sister of the groom, 1725 Market street, Oakland. The bride's attendant was Miss Carlotta Freeman, sister of the groom. Alwyn Springer was the best man.

The bride wore a lovely afternoon dress of pink chiffon and carried a bridal bouquet of gardenias and lily of the valley. Her attendant wore a matching shade of georgette crepe and carried lavender and pink sweet peas. The home was beautifully decorated in pink and white. Relatives and close friends of the bride and groom attended the ceremony which was performed by Rev. Elmer Yaffat of Oakland.

The young couple will spend their honeymoon in the south and on their return they will reside on University avenue in Berkeley. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt of 1619 Market street, Oakland. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Freeman of 400 B Street, Berkeley, and is well known here. He is in partnership with N. Zimmerman in a service station in El Cerrito.

## ZEPHYR SEWING CLUB MEETS TODAY

A meeting will be held by the sewing club of the Zephyr Rebekahs this afternoon, under the direction of the new president, Miss Grace Curry, the new president, will preside, and work for the ensuing year will be planned. A covered dish luncheon will precede the business session.

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## Arize With Wife



EN ROUTE TO Seville, Spain, where he will design decorations for Mexican exhibit, Leopold Tommasi arrived here on Spanish Royal Mail liner Alfonso III, with his wife and two kiddies.

## Richmond Man and Pinole Girl Married

The wedding of Miss Velma Beryl Dunlap, daughter of Mrs. Gladys DeShazer of Pinole, and Earl Denzil English of Richmond took place January 1, at the Pinole Methodist church. Relatives and close friends of the couple attended. The church was attractively decorated with holiday greens. Rev. J. R. Rudkin performed the ceremony.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Beulah Dunlap, her sister. The bride was exquisitely gowned in a rose colored frock and carried a bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Dunlap wore a rose frock also and carried roses. Miss Edith Rudkin played the wedding march.

The wedding was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's mother. The bride and groom will make their home on Bush street, San Pablo on their return from a brief honeymoon. Those attending the ceremony included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Troxel, Charline, Neva and Lois roxal, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Heltzel, Mrs. Cora English, Margaret English, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. McCausland, Pansy, Charles, Ivy and Lloyd McCausland, R. C. Dunlap, George Bywieldt, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hills, Mrs. Edith Rudkin, Mrs. T. W. Woy, Florence Vailor, Lilly Scott, Harry and Carl Williams, Harry Gray, Mrs. W. McCausland, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Beaton, George and Ella-Louise Beaton, Garcia De Sherser, Dema Dunlap, Mrs. Cora English and Mrs. Gladys De Shazer.

## RICHMOND CLUB MEETS JAN. 9

A meeting will be held by the Richmond club Monday afternoon January 9, at 2 o'clock with Mrs. S. B. Wilson, president, presiding. The drama committee, under the direction of Mrs. W. R. Huson, will take charge of the afternoon. Following the business session, Mrs. Hodges will review a play. Plans for the following two weeks have been announced also. Miss Virginia Marshall, demonstrator, will give a talk on cooking on January 16. Miss Mabel Woodman of the local school staff will talk on art on January 23.

## Wesley Zimmerman, Berkeley Girl In Reno Elopement

And they grew so much partners that their minds turned to the culmination of romance on almost the same day.

That apparently was the case when it was learned yesterday that Wesley Zimmerman, traffic officer of El Cerrito, and oil station proprietor and Elliott Freeman, his partner in the business, had joined the far-reaching ranks of benedicts.

Zimmerman and Miss Minnie Hall, of Berkeley, eloped to Reno, Nevada, while Freeman and Miss Ruth Evelyn Ramsdell of Oakland were married in the latter city. The two couples were entertained at a joint wedding dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Zimmerman, parents of Wesley Zimmerman, on their return.

## D. A. R. TO INSTALL OFFICERS TONIGHT

The Barbara Fitchie council, Daughters of America will meet tonight in Woodmen hall for installation of the newly elected officers. Mrs. Julia Woods heads the committee in charge of the banquet and entertainment.

## G. A. R. AUXILIARY INSTALLS TONIGHT

A meeting of the ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in Memorial hall. Installation of officers for the ensuing year will be held tonight in Memorial hall and all members are urged to be present. Mrs. Josephine Neville will be the new president, succeeding Mrs. Ida Daley. Mrs. Anna Jarvis will be the installing officer.

## Native Daughters Fete Official On Visit to Richmond

District Deputy Grand President Aileen Page of Bear Flag parlor, Berkeley, visited a stated meeting of Richmond Parlor No. 147 Native Daughters of the Golden Yest last night in Redmen Hall. The local parlor is preparing for the visit of Grand President May Hines Noonan, Tuesday, February 7. Mrs. Georgia Curry, presided.

## ALPHA LODGE WILL CONFER 1st DEGREE

Alpha lodge of Masons will confer the first degree at the meeting next Tuesday night, according to an announcement made last night in Masonic hall during a stated business meeting. W. P. Self, worshipful master, presided.

## MUSTGETEATS HAVE ENJOYABLE TIME

A meeting was held by the members of the Mustgeteats club at the South Richmond clubhouse last night. Mrs. Daisy Mayo was hostess at the affair. The evening was spent playing whist. Awards were given to the following high-score holders: Bert Ten Eyck, C. M. Kelly, Mrs. Richard Dunn, Richard Dunn, Jr., and Miss Mary Glanelli. Dainty refreshments were served at the closing.

## NEWLYWEDS BACK FROM HONEYMOON

Theodore Roosevelt Anderson and his bride, formerly Miss Genevieve Bowman have returned from a honeymoon spent in Humboldt county.

## LOCAL MINISTER SPEAKER FOR POINT MASONS

Point lodge No. 503, F. & A. M. held a meeting last night. Worshipful Master, J. O. Redman presiding. Rev. Aldis Webb of the First Christian church was the speaker of the evening. January 12 was announced as the date for the installation of officers. The meeting last night was the final meeting to be held on Tuesday as the meeting night has been changed to Friday in order not to conflict with the meeting date of any other Richmond Blue lodge.

Gladstone lodge, Sons of St. George, held a stated business meeting followed by a social time last night in Memorial hall. Joseph Baker presided.

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\$36.50, 7-6x9-ft. Rugs \$26.75  
\$31.50, 6x9-ft. Rugs \$23.50  
\$69.75, 9x12-ft. size \$59.50  
\$64.50 8-3x10-6-ft. size \$54.75  
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\$149.50 Two piece suite combination mohair upholstery \$125.00

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\$29.50 Occasional chairs; twenty-five to choose from \$19.50  
\$7.50 to \$24.50 End Tables; mahogany 1/3 OFF and walnut, now  
\$22.50 Beverage Tables of mahogany, now \$17.50

## Dining Room

\$324.00 Eight piece walnut Suite; 8-ft. Table \$225.00  
\$185.00 Two seven piece walnut Suites; 8-ft. Tables \$145.00  
\$150.00 Attractive 5-pc. mahogany Suite; Spanish design \$125.00  
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\$450.00 Beautiful shaded walnut Suite; six pieces \$325.00  
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## New City Directory Shows Big Population Increase

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sections of the book, each section being a correct and faithful index of the city represented. The Directory is made up of several essential departments, which are, the Buyers' Guide containing the advertisements of the leading professional business men and institutions alphabetically arranged under headings adapted to the class of business conducted. This is followed by the Richmond alphabetical list of citizens; the Richmond street directory; the Richmond City Directory Telephone Guide and next, the Martine's alphabetical list of citizens. The Classified Business Directory is an invaluable feature of the work, constituting a practical buyers' guide or commercial and professional trade list. The names of all business concerns and corporations in Richmond and Martine's are arranged alphabetically under headings appropriate to the class of calling or industry pursued. "Martine's" appears after the name of all Martine's firms to distinguish them from Richmond. A not unimportant function of the City Directory is to set forth the characteristics and advantages of the city as a place of residence, as a business location, as an industrial site and as an educational center. The Directory acts as a mirror reflecting all that is noteworthy in the city in the above respects.

### PUT IN LIBRARIES

In order to spread this information regarding the city broadcast over the country, the publishers place copies of the 1928 issue of the Richmond City Directory in Directory Libraries, which are maintained in all the larger cities of the country where they are readily available for free reference use by the public. These serve as perpetual advertisements of Richmond.

murder of the Parker girl, was read.

"Not guilty by reason of insanity," Hickman repeated. The defendant was asked by the court if he understood admissions were involved in making a plea of this nature. Hickman said he understood.

### HINTS LENGTHY CASE

"I have no purpose, in my efforts as attorney for Mr. Hickman, to hinder or delay your honor's conduct of this case, or to hinder or delay the state of California in meeting out swift and accurate justice," he said. "But under this plea, and the nature of this plea, grave and voluminous testimony must be introduced as I understand the case."

He said he believed the decision and the introduction of testimony in this case "will have a salutary effect on the great American conscience." His evidence, he was understood to say, tended to show the defendant was not thoroughly normal.

"I feel compelled to ask for a reasonable length of time to carefully prepare this case," Walsh continued. "Important witnesses are in the States of Missouri, Arkansas and Illinois, where relatives and associates of the boy and his family reside."

"It will take time to locate them. I have sent my telegrams and letters to Kansas City in this effort, and have not received answers."

Walsh said it would be necessary for him to go to Kansas City and there begin the work of getting testimony.

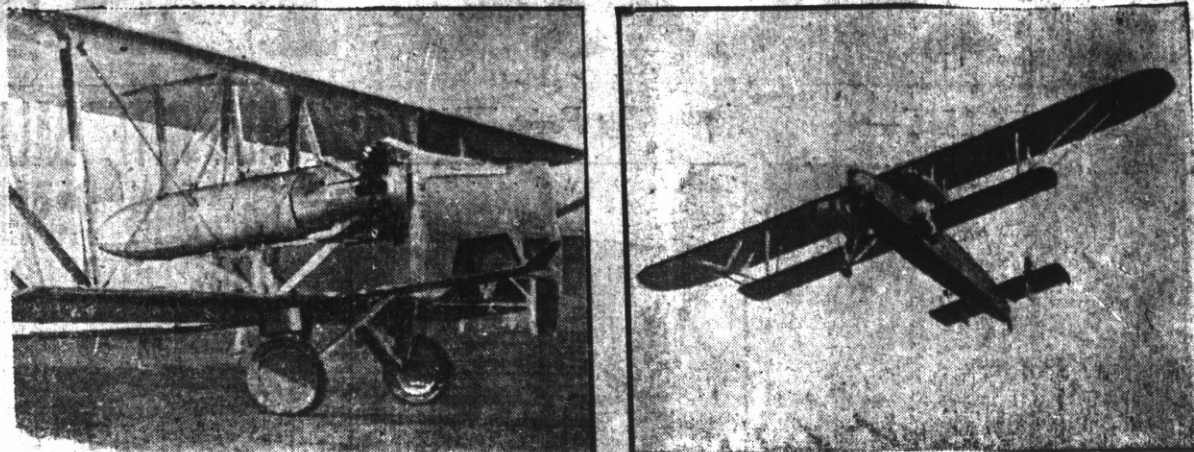
"More than twenty per cent of the maximum time of thirty days allowed before the date of trial will be consumed in railroad travel," he declared.

ASKED 35 DAYS

Walsh asked that thirty-five days be allowed him for preparation.

"I guarantee, I will give my

## Latest Naval Air Bomber Ready For Test



THE LATEST SIKORSKY AIRPLANE BOMBER, which is said to be far superior to the old type of this machine, was tested at Curtiss Field recently. Photo at left shows new type of bomber, and photo at right shows the plane in full flight.

### Scout Troop No. 1 To Meet Tomorrow

Scout Troop No. 1, will hold a special meeting tomorrow night, it was announced yesterday. Program and initiation committees will be elected and a date set for the next hike and feed. All scouts are requested to be present by Scoutmaster Carl Rasmussen.

### MRS. RIPLEY TO N. Y.

Mrs. S. S. Ripley will leave Richmond this morning on a trip to New York City by way of New Orleans and Washington.

bond, that I will be in this courtroom, on the thirty-sixth day, and no further delay will be requested.

Through all this young Hickman remained outwardly unmoved, except for the occasional clamping of his jaws, as if in restraint of some emotion. Most of the time his hands were in his pocket.

Forest Murray, one of his deputies and Detective Inspector Longuevan, he went to the Bellevue Arms Apartments, where Hickman confessed he held the Parker girl captive, killed her and dismembered her body. This errand, it was believed, had for its purpose the gathering of further evidence to show Hickman's sanity.

Hickman returned to the county jail in high spirits.

"I'm glad the show has started," he told county jailer Dewar.

He asked if Judge Hardy would conduct his trial.

"Fine," he remarked, upon receiving an affirmative answer.

There was no disorder in the crowd that lined the corridors leading to the courtroom. Guards reported that Perry Parker, brother of the slain girl, went through the lines accompanied by two other youths, who, he said, were cousins. They were searched for weapons. None was found, and they were allowed to proceed.

## Local Society Events

### S. R. I. Plans For Whist Party On January 27.

Arrangements were made for a whist party to be held Friday evening, January 27, at a meeting held by the members of the South Richmond Improvement club at the clubhouse yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Nellie La Londe will be chairman of a committee consisting of Mrs. Clare Barry, Mrs. Hilda Wicks and Mrs. Ethel Ten Eyck. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

The next business meeting to be held by the club will take place on Tuesday, January 24, Mrs. Ora Wood will be in charge of the social hour, which will follow the business session.

### WESLEY GENERAL AID MEETS THIS AFTERNOON

A meeting will be held by the general aid society of the Wesley Methodist church this afternoon in the church parlors. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon, followed by a business session at 2 o'clock.

The new president, Mrs. Nora Glover will preside, assisted by the following new officers: Mrs. Olive Craig, first vice-president; Mrs. Frank Oritas, second vice-president; Mrs. McNulty, secretary; and Mrs. C. E. Faurot, treasurer.

All of the circles are requested to have their yearly report ready to be present at the meeting.

### RETURN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hannon accompanied by Murray Hannon, former Richmond newspaperman, returned yesterday from a visit to the home of their parents, in Klamath Falls, Ore. Murray Hannon will return to Oregon Saturday, where he will be associated with his uncle on a Marshfield newspaper.

### VISITS HERE

Mrs. Belle Mitchell of Lakeport has been visiting with her friend, Mrs. Rena Cain over the New Year holidays at her home, 1714 Macdonald avenue.

### THIMBLE CLUB WILL SERVE TURKEY DINNER

The annual turkey dinner of the Thimble Club of the Neighbors of Woodcraft will be served today at noon. All members of the club are urged to be present at the all-day session. Following the dinner there will be an installation of officers.

A meeting will be held by the Neighbors of Woodcraft tonight in Odd Fellows Hall. All officers and guards are requested to be present for installation rehearsal. The committee for the evening is listed as follows: Mesdames Nellie Austin, Emma Austin, Amelia Bowles, Elizabeth Burdon and Rose Black.

### LADIES TO ATTEND PRESBYTERIAN MEET

Ladies of the First Presbyterian church will attend the meeting of the San Francisco Presbyterian Society which meets today all day, in the First Presbyterian church of Oakland. The business session will open at 11 o'clock and the after-noon will be spent in discussing "Latin America." Ladies from the Richmond church will meet at the subway at 10 o'clock this morning to attend the meeting.

### BIBLE CLASS PLANS DINNER JAN. 19

The Ladies Bible class of the First Baptist church planned for a chicken dinner to be given January 19, at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. M. A. Muhrin, of 136 Fourth street, yesterday.

The dinner will be served at noon and the public is invited to partake.

### TRINITY GUILD TO HOLD SPECIAL MEET

There will be a special business meeting held by the Trinity Guild this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Guild hall. All members are asked to be present to aid in making plans for the near future.

### Realty Salesmen To Elect Officers

The Richmond Realty Salesmen's club will hold election of officers tomorrow night, at a dinner in the Hotel Carquinez, according to an announcement made at their weekly breakfast yesterday morning when they made plans for the coming year.

### PRESBYTERIAN AID TO HEAR LECTURE

A meeting will be held by the Presbyterian Aid Society tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the church. A business session will precede the social hour. Miss Nellie Douglas, educational director of the church, will relate her experiences gained while on a trip to Europe last year. She was accompanied by Miss Thelma Wagener, her assistant. All women of the church are invited to be present. Refreshments will be served at the close of the afternoon.

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## Eagles Initiate Candidate Class

Initiation of candidates was held by Point Richmond Aerie of Eagles was held last night in Woodmen hall. A report from the ladies auxiliary now being organized stated that the order is progressing and will be initiated soon. The house committee consisting of C. Debell, T. Clabattari and George Starvos was in charge of the refreshments last night.

## Lions To Aid Needy Richmond Families

The Richmond Lions club will hold an "old clothes" day next Tuesday when members have been Tuesday to bring used clothing from their homes to be supplied to the needy of Richmond. Clothes for men, women and children which can be of use to the needy will be deposited in a large box and later distributed.

Following the appeal of Claude Clark, leader in Boy Scout activities, asking the Lions to sponsor a troop, the members voted unanimously to sponsor a troop. President Dan Reardon appointed as the Scout committee, E. H. Higgins, Carl Overan, W. N. Jenkins, Frank Smith and Ed Hoffman.

## 5 Certificates Of Births Are Filed

Five certificates of birth were filed with the city health department yesterday. They included: John McNulty born at the Richmond Maternity hospital December 21, to Mrs. Leonora Agnes McNulty and the late Joseph McNulty of Port Costa.

Ernest Edward Rowland, Jr. born at the Richmond Maternity hospital, December 22, to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roland, Sr., of 335 South Sixth street.

Norman Eric McKeen born at the Richmond Maternity hospital, December 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Edison McKeen.

Imiko Hayama, born at the Richmond Maternity hospital, December 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenzo Hayama of 47 Ohio avenue.

Guadalupe, Eula, May Cortes, born December 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Cortes of Pico.

MARYSVILLE — First National Bank of Yuba City and Savings Bank of Sutter County taken over by Bank of Italy.

## RUM VIOLATORS ACTIVE, KEEP POLICE BUSY

Wright Act violators kept the local police department and Police Judge C. A. Odell busy over the New Year holidays.

Marceline Rose of Oakland, arrested on charges of possession, entered a plea of not guilty, was released on \$500 bail and his trial set for January 6.

Albert Robinson and K. Roden of 1230 Alton street, Oakland, arrested Sunday, appeared before Judge Odell yesterday. Roden pleaded guilty to a charge of possession and date for sentence was set for January 9. Robinson entered a plea of not guilty. He was released on bond and his case continued to January 9, when the date for trial will be set.

N. J. Bevins and Jack Curtis, giving their addresses at Tunnel road, entered pleas of guilty, the former to possession and the latter to transportation and will be sentenced January 11.

Eugene Martin of Seventeenth street and Macdonald avenue, pleaded guilty to possession when he appeared before Judge Odell this morning and was given the alternative of a fine of \$500 or 300 days in jail.

S. Agheer of Oakland, charged with reckless driving, was fined \$100 with a 30-day commitment withheld.

## Richmond Matron Called By Death

Mrs. Anna E. Brooks, wife of John M. Brooks, of 3337 Cutting boulevard, passed away at a local hospital last night. Deceased was 49 years of age and a native of Norway. She had resided in Richmond for the past 17 years. Death came after an illness of considerable duration. Besides her husband, Mrs. Brooks leaves a daughter Ruby.

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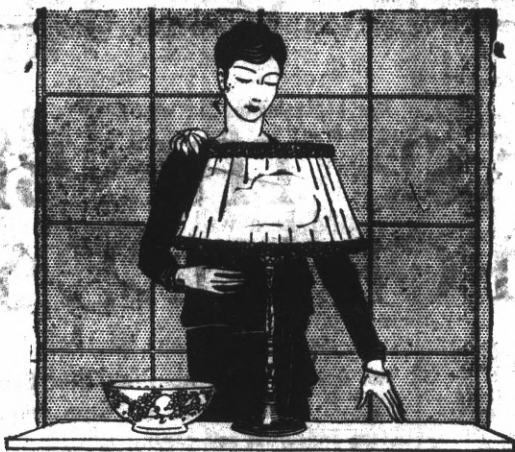
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# SPORTS

## BAPTISTS AND LUTHERANS IN CAGE VICTORY

The Grace Lutherans got going last night and nothing but the whistle could stop them. This quintet of cagers has had but a few victories to its credit since the opening of the Church Basketball league, but they made up for it last night. When they finished with the First Baptists the score stood 42 to 15. The way they dropped hoops was like a snowfall all over the place.

The First Baptists were the other winners in the Y. M. C. A. last night. They defeated the Community Methodists by a comfortable margin of 22 to 16. The games start earlier now at the Y and still gather good sized crowds on Tuesdays and Friday nights.

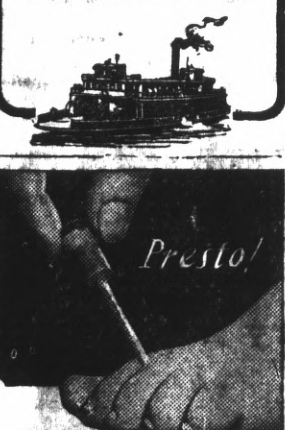


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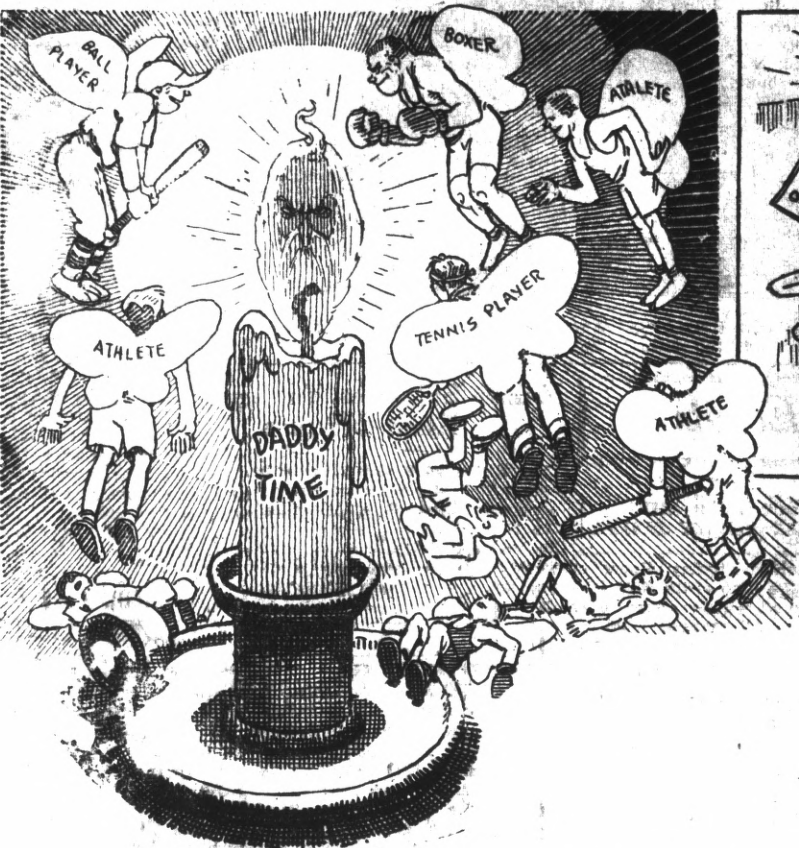


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## THE MOTH AND THE FLAME



By Pete Williams



President Heydler of the National League finds that baseball today is a very much different game than it was when he first took up his duties with the National League twenty-five years ago. Then, he points out, teams fought for one run, and through the medium of fast smart baseball fought to hold it. Now he finds that one run "is just a drop in the bucket," and present day clubs count on one big inning rather than one big run to win the ball game. The long distance clouting of the Babe, coupled with the general presence of the Big Biff in most of the games nowadays, has caught the fancy of the fans, and it is this they want above all else.

Certainly the long distance clouting duel between the Babe and Lou Gehrig last season kept the American League season from settling down into a dull and uneventful playing out of the schedule, and the wallowing Giants drew the greatest total attendance of all the clubs in the National League last season. Yes, the customers DO like to see them hit to all corners of the lot, and big league managers today want players above all else who can hit them there.

McGraw Has Changed  
John McGraw, himself a veteran of that baseball school of which President Heydler speaks, builds his team around the big punch. The one run that McGraw and his old teammates on the Orioles worked for doesn't mean as much to the Little Napoleon now as it did then. He wants to see them delivered in gross lots.

Irish Meusel might have lacked the sureness and speed of many other outfielders that McGraw has had, but he always could hit the ball, and his ability to drive in runs earned him a top place in McGraw's estimation. The fact that Hornsby wound up the year as one of the leaders in the National League at driving in runs compensated McGraw a bit for some of the reverses the Giants suffered earlier in the year. While "smart" baseball hasn't been tossed out of McGraw's baseball book altogether, he has changed his methods to keep abreast of the changing times.

Miller Huggins is another pilot possessed of a profound knowledge of baseball, who plays a brand of baseball that he is

forced to play because of the conditions rather than the type of baseball he prefers to play. Hug always fancied himself as a hitter of the Willie Keeler type, and though he takes a lot of riding from the fellows on the team on the batting averages and everything put in readiness for the bi-annual registrations. Three new deputies were recently added to the force to assist with the work. They are: Mrs. Lucille D. Kister, 321 Panama avenue, Richmond Annex; Mrs. Blanche Hoyle, 3715 Roosevelt avenue and Mrs. Mildred Ahearn of 715 Macdonald avenue.

The complete list of registrars is: A. C. Faris, chief, city hall; L. W. Brougham, city hall; H. G. Stidham, 163 Washington avenue; Mrs. Mary B. Moyle 641 Santa Fe avenue; M. J. Gordon, 321 Macdonald avenue; Miss Norine Lee, 535 Macdonald avenue; Miss Marie Nechitt, 621 Bissell avenue; H. O. Watson, 1203 Macdonald avenue; F. A. Burg, 309 Twenty-third street; Mrs. Margaret L. Gately, 241 Cypress avenue; Roy V. March, Standard Oil; Mrs. Kathleen Maroney, 523 Chandler avenue; Miss George Johnson, 431 Tenth street; Mrs. Mildred Ahearn, 715 Macdonald avenue; Mrs. Blanche Hoyle, 3715 Roosevelt avenue; Mrs. Lucille D. Kister, 321 Panama avenue.

An example of just how much Hug depends on his clubbers to wallop their way through with one big inning, rather than play for a single run, is the last game of the World Series. In the eighth inning, with the score tied at 3-3, the Yanks' two runners on the bases, with two out, Lazzeri being bunched on third and Pat Collins on first, Wilky Moore, distinguished as much for his helpfulness at bat as his unmatchable relief pitching, was up, and Hug, rather than replace him with a pinch hitter who might drive in a run and follow through with another pitcher who could hold the Pirates for an inning, let Wilky hit for himself. Wilky struck out, of course, but the Yanks with some unexpected aid from Johnny Miljus pushed over that needed run in the next inning. There was a lot of discussion about it at the time, but Hug has since explained thusly:

"I had a tie, and by keeping Moore in there I KNEW I had a pitcher who could hold the Pirates in their half of the ninth. Then I had the top of my batting order coming up in the following inning and counted on them to get the run I needed. I was not forced to gamble for a run then with those sluggers coming up and Moore in the box. Though Miljus gave us that run, don't forget Combs and Koenig, my first two batters, got on the bases through their own merits to start the inning."

## REGISTRATIONS OF VOTERS ARE STARTED HERE

Registrations of citizens of the Richmond district were started yesterday by City Clerk A. C. Faris and his corps of deputies. Supplies and maps were received from the county clerk last week and everything put in readiness for the bi-annual registrations.

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## Fines In December In Justice Court Amount To \$1243

Fines and costs amounting to \$1243.50 were collected during the month of December by Justice of the Peace A. A. Alstrom. Thirty civil suits and 15 small claims suits were filed during the month. Amounts collected during the month were:

Violations of the motor vehicle act, \$674; fish and game act, \$40; Wright act, \$400; dairy act, \$8.50; civil suits, \$80; small claims, \$15; license fees and suits, \$24; and transcripts, \$2.

## Diving Champ



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## ALL NITE BALL AT SAN PABLO HUGE SUCCESS

One of the most successful benefit balls given in Contra Costa county is credited to the committee handling the all night dance given Saturday night in Maple all, San Pablo, for the benefit of the San Pablo Baseball team. The merry-makers on New Year's eve began to gather in the hall about nine o'clock and from that time on until five o'clock January 1, 1928, the holiday spirit reigned and the throng of dancers ushered in the New Year with one of the best times yet.

Serpentine, carnival hats and refreshments added to the entertainment of the dance, nothing marred or interrupted the festivities of the affair, showing that the popularity of dances in San Pablo can be maintained with respect through proper management, which was entirely local.

The attendants at the dance were entertained during the early hours with solos and songs by three local vocal artists, Otto Flohn, W. W. Wells and Otto Pedretti.

The receipts for the occasion amounted to \$232.05 and netted the ball team about \$170.00. A sum which will encourage the team to believe the public appreciates their untiring efforts to win and keep the name of San Pablo on top in baseballdom.

It is the plan of the boys now to announce another Carnival Ball for February 4, which should be a greater success than their New Year's affair.

"The score was: A big win for San Pablo Baseball Team."

## South Will Stop Wild Game Traps

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 3.—An attempt to revive the old sport of trapping game birds, particularly quail, was nipped in the bud when Deputy J. W. Thornburg, of the Division of Fish and Game of the Department of Natural Resources, located four home-made traps near Thermal in a section thickly populated with quail.

The traps were made of one inch mesh chicken wire attached to the old tires of a spring wagon, once a popular vehicle of transportation in farming districts.

With the approaches to the trap covered with dirt and leaves and an enticing bait of corn spread around, the birds were easy victims and when Thornburg found the traps 25 fine birds were making a desperate effort to free themselves from the wire.

Thornburg liberated the birds and immediately started an investigation that he hopes will land the person or persons guilty of setting the traps. Indications are that the traps had been recently placed, Charles S. Bauder, Assistant Chief of Patrol in charge of the southern district, said after getting Thornburg's report, and he praised the diligence of the deputy in locating the traps and freeing the birds.

## Richmond Barber Union Installs

Officers elected by Richmond Barbers' Union No. 508, were last night installed by T. R. Cooley, installing officer. Those taking office were:

D. F. Quinlan, president; J. H. Glover, vice-president; Tom Vastal, secretary-treasurer; Lawrence E. Ramey, recording secretary; C. T. Gassett, guide; Frank Morales, guardian.

On the financial committee are Frank Otis, Jess Glover and Lawrence Ramey.

## Ed Sullivan's SPORT WHIRL

### OLD-TIMERS TIP THEIR BATS ON NO-MAN

Bernard Gimbel, a keen student of sport, has stated that, in his opinion, the modern athlete, including the fighter is superior to the old-time athlete.

He arrives at this deduction after finding that in every sport where you can apply a stop-watch or a foot rule, the modern athlete has bettered the marks of the old-timers. Paddock, running against a clock; Sahin Carr and Hoff, vaulting against a yardstick, and Nurni clocked on a watch dial have hung up better marks than Dan Kelly, Hugh Baxter and Tommy Conneff.

Conceding that Mr. Gimbel is right, and waiving the right to bring out the fact that the modern stop-watch register fractional seconds which the old-time stop-watch was not timed to register, there are still instances where figures show the superiority of the old-time performer.

Al Munro Elias, the finger filbert, who conducts an extensive cleaning house for base hits and bangles, has been good enough to assemble some life-time batting averages for this column.

It is interesting to note the prominent positions such patriarchs as Ty Cobb, Tris Speaker, Ed Delahanty, Willie Keeler and Hans Wagner occupy in any such ranking.

Cobb in twenty-three years of big league baseball, hitting at a .368 clip, is so far removed from ordinary standards that it makes the imagination falter.

In ten thousand trips to the plate, Cobb was good for a hit in every three attempts. He faced all sorts of pitching, and every pitcher in the league and every player in the league was baring down when Tyrus Raymond went up there to take his cut. Infielders shifted this way and that way, and fielders tightened up the outer barriers; pitchers made him hit at balls that cut the outside and inside corners.

For twenty-three years Cobb was a marked man, but his life-time average is .368.

Hans Wagner, the bow-legged Dutchman, was a great hitter, but Honus was hard pressed to run up a .329 average in practically the same number of times at bat as Cobb.

Babe Ruth and Hornsby and Hellmuth and Frisch, of the moderns, are bound to slump somewhat as the years go on. Hornsby alone appears capable of approximating the life-time average of Cobb, and I believe you could get 100 to 1 against his chances.

A truer light is shed on the batting prowess of Big Ed Delahanty, the Babe Ruth of his day by the figures from the Al Munro Elias office. Delahanty playing from 1888 to 1903, inclusive, had an all-time mark of .348 which ties him with Tris Speaker, although Tris covered the longer route.

Ruth, now at .353, has to protect that mark in nearly 3,000 trips to the plate to exceed the figures of this old-time wallpaper.

### TOMMY (CONNEFF AND THE FLYING FINE

Baseball, more than any other sport, provides hooks on which the old-timers can hang their querulous contentions of superiority to the young squirts.

The comparison of Sullivan and Dempsey, Corbett and Tunney, Gans and Leonard is purely a matter of opinion. Victory here goes to the side which can tune out the static of the other station. But in baseball the old-timers haul out the figures and dare the youngsters to come out and fight.

The old-timers will also battle over the comparative merits of the old and the young track stars.

They'll tell you, these veterans, that Tommy Conneff could have beaten Nurni and Jole Ray in the same day. Figures show that Nurni did the mile in 4:10 2-5 whereas Conneff clocked 4:18 2-4, thirty-two years ago. Post those figures to discredit Conneff and the old-timers come right back with the crack that the modern cinder track is at least five seconds faster than the old-time track on which Conneff ran.

## Start the New Year Right

The beginning of the new year is an excellent time for attending to any of or all the following important matters:

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- Open savings accounts for the children.
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## (Lodge and Meeting Notices)

**NATIVE BONS—OF Golden West.** No. 217, Edward Peterson, Secy. President: R. H. Cunningham, Secretary 520 Ohio Street. Meeting nights, first and third Tuesday of the month. Meeting place, Wednesday night at K. of P. hall, 5th St., near Macdonald. Visitors always welcome. O. Carroll, C. C.; F. G. Blackhart, R. of R. and S.

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**ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY—** of Richmond and District—Meets second and fourth Wednesday at 8 p. m. in Richmond Club House. Scottish visitors are always welcome. Pres. W. J. Macdonald, 3217 Nevada Ave. Phone Rich. 1553. See Geo. Smith, 1531 Roosevelt Avenue.

**RICH. AERIE, No. 254 F. O. B.** meets every Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the W. O. W. hall, 7th Macdonald. Felix Baptista, W. E. Phone Rich. 1008 W. W. McChesney, Secy. Phone Rich. 1098. A. G. O'Leary, 2031 Barrett Avenue, Phone Rich. 445.

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## License Plate Applications Flood In At 30,000 Daily

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 4.—Blue and gold 1928 license plates are being issued by the Division of Motor Vehicles at Sacramento and its branch offices at the rate of 30,000 a day, Chief Clerk Lon W. Butler estimated today.

More than 100,000 motorists stood in line during the first three days after the renewal period to receive their new plates and discard the old ones.

Meanwhile, mail applications are pouring in at Sacramento at the rate of more than 10,000 a day from motorists who desire to skip early and avoid payment of the penalty that will go on after the renewal period closes.

Through an agreement with the postal authorities, the Division will ship no plates for parcel post delivery until December 26. This will keep the mails clear for Christmas business. Upon that date, however, more than 200,000 sets of plates will be sent to all parts of the state as they are being prepared for shipment as rapidly as applications are received.

Butler advises that the application sent by mail is by far the simplest way for the motorist to obtain his new plates.

All that is necessary is for the applicant to enclose his fee together with his old certificate of registration, carried in the car, to the division. If there has been no change of address, the plates will be sent immediately to the address appearing on the certificate. Applicants should write in any changes of address on the certificate of registration.

Currency should not be sent. Certified checks, postal money orders and bank drafts are safer and are acceptable.

The fee for regular passenger cars, motorcycles and trailers is \$4. The fee for vehicles used for commercial purposes is based on the weight and is the same as last year.

## Service Bureau To Meet On Thursday

The Richmond Social Service Bureau will meet tomorrow afternoon in the courtroom of Justice of the Peace Arthur A. Alston at 2 o'clock. An election of officers for the new year will be the order of business, the president, Mrs. George Leo, urges all directors and members to be present.

## Notice To Public

I will not be responsible for any bills contracted in my name after this date.  
Richmond, Cal., Dec. 20, 1927.  
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## Missionaries Flee New Chinese Outbreak



PHOTO SHOWS VANGUARD of the Cantonese army, ousted by the Communists, who seized Canton and have established a Soviet government in the city. Many American missionaries are preparing to leave China, fearing the feeling against foreigners, which is rapidly spreading.

## Aided 'Fox'



BELIEVING Hickman's story that Perry Parker had been injured in an accident, Mrs. Mary Holt (above), attendance teacher, allowed Marian Parker to be taken out of school by William Hickman, accused of kidnaping and murdering her.

## Death Calls Mother Of Richmond Man

Called to Denver, Colorado, by the death of his mother, Mrs. Katherine Rupp, C. J. Rupp, of the Richmond Breuners store, has returned here after attending funeral services. Mrs. Rupp is survived by her husband, Philip Rupp, and a son, Martin Rupp, both of Denver, beside the son in Richmond.

## EEY ON TRIP

L. G. Eby, agent for the Southern Pacific railroad in Richmond, has returned from a holiday trip to Sooma county.

## Joe's Battery Shop

And official headlight testing station at 1235 Macdonald ave. Open evenings. Telephone 1466. Look for the sign. 11-17-1 mo.

## PLANNING BODY REQUEST GIVEN TO EL CERRITO

A request from the East Bay Regional Planning Association asking the city of El Cerrito to co-operate with them in a petition to Governor C. C. Young to form a planning commission to govern the east bay cities of Alameda and Contra Costa counties was referred to City Attorney Wilbur Pierce for one week.

Members of the El Cerrito Fire Department in a letter to the council asked the city to give the members preference in employment of the city for extra help in the street department. The letter was turned over to superintendent of streets, Forrest Wright, instructing him to give the members preference wherever possible.

On a motion of Councilman Chas. Zimmerman the council ordered that four men be employed to clean the gutters on the streets in the Mira Vista district.

Due to the increased repair work done by the city street department Forest Wright was instructed to get prices on a larger asphalt kettle to facilitate the repairing.

Whether the equipment bought by the El Cerrito Volunteer Fire department should remain the property of the city or the department will be decided by the council next Monday night.

Councilman Phil A. Lee, stated that the city donates \$20 per month to the department out of which they are buying a piano and that the piano should remain city property so if the present department is disbanded it could be passed on to the new organization.

## ROYAL NEIGHBORS' OFFICERS TO REHEARSE

All newly elected officers of the Royal Neighbors of America are asked to meet in Memorial hall tomorrow afternoon to rehearse installation proceedings. It is essential that all officers report at that time, according to oracle Mrs. Nina Vickery. The installation will be held jointly with the Modern Woodmen and will take place January 13, instead of January 9, as previously announced.

## Report Of Vet Organization Evidences Wide Activity Scope

Officers of Honor Post No. 913, Veterans of Foreign Wars were installed last night in Memorial Hall by Ralph Mitchell of the state council of administration. F. A. Hoeger, the outgoing commander was presented with a gift in appreciation of his past services.

Samuel S. Ripley, liaison officer, delivered his report of the work done by the post during the past year, which was as follows:

Called to see sick and transferred 3 cases from private to Government Hospital.

Called to see sick and transferred 5 cases from homes to Government Hospital.

Made 16 visits to the Veterans' Bureau.

Filed 5 claims for Widows' compensation.

Filed 3 claims for Children's compensation.

Filed 2 claims for Parents' compensation.

Filed 3 claims for fathers for Veterans' insurance.

Filed 6 claims for lost discharges.

Filed 3 claims for lost compensation (bonus) papers.

Filed 19 applications for hospitalization.

Moved 1 family from Richmond to Los Angeles.

Moved 1 family from Richmond to Fresno.

Furnished 16 meals at 50c—\$8.

Furnished 4 beds at \$1—\$4.

Nine veterans were given temporary employment, and 2 of these are still holding the positions obtained.

Thirty-seven veterans were given application blanks for their Government insurance.

Eleven veterans were given application blanks for their Compensation (bonus).

Fourteen veterans were given application blanks for State Home and Farm Loans.

## AT HOTEL CARQUINE

Arrivals at the Hotel Carquine yesterday were: T. L. Milburn of Los Angeles, A. and G. Punello, George Edwards and Clayton V. Smith of Fresno; Raymond F. Body of Los Angeles; G. A. Thompson and H. H. Scott of San Francisco and E. Colclough of Fresno.

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## PLAY WILL BE PRESENTED BY SCOUT TROOP

J. R. Warren, chief scoutmaster of Contra Costa County gave a talk to the boys of Troop 2 at a meeting held in scout hall last night. Scout Commissioner Robert Cox of Troop 2 also spoke to the boys. Another speaker of the evening was Edwin R. Brooks, junior assistant scoutmaster of Troop No. 2. Brooks has just returned from the Section 3, Region 12, Older Scout's meeting held at Camp Diamond in Oakland. He gave a talk on what took place at the Scout Council meeting there.

Plans were begun at the meeting last night for a play which the boys of Troop 2 will give for the purpose of buying uniforms for the boys who cannot afford to buy their own. The date and place of presentation will be announced later.

Scoutmaster McMurtry, assistant scoutmaster Bolt, and junior assistant Scoutmaster Brooks, and senior patrol leader, Ripley, are on the committee to take care of putting on the play.

A special request is made to all the boys of Troop 2 that have not been attending the meetings regularly to attend the meeting next Tuesday, January 10, and aid in the plans for the new year. They are also asked to bring in a new member if possible.

## BACK FROM HONEYMOON

Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Chrispell have returned from their honeymoon and are making their home at 131 Eleventh street. Mrs. Chrispell was formerly Miss Amalia Annett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Annett.

## San Pablo To Get Action On Reorganization On February 6

MARTINEZ, Jan. 3.—Reorganization of the San Pablo Sanitary District was today set for February 6, by the County Supervisors.

## BRIDGE STATEMENT

District Attorney A. B. Tinning was instructed by the supervisors to file a demand with the American Toll Bridge Company for a statement of its operating revenues of the past year, and for payment of two per cent of the gross receipts, as provided in the franchise.

## WITHDRAWS APPLICATION

T. A. Tomasini filed with the supervisors written request for the withdrawal of his application for a toll bridge franchise from Richmond to Marin County.

## Calloni Rites Will Be Held Today

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Wilson Kratzer chapel for C. Calloni, 37, a resident of Stege, whose remains were found Sunday morning besides the Santa Fe railroad tracks at Thirty-third street by passer-by. Interment will be in Sunset View cemetery.

Calloni is believed to have been struck a glancing blow by a train. His skull was fractured, evidently being the cause of his death. His right shoulder and the ribs on the right side were broken.

He was an employee of the Hutchinson quarry and is survived by a wife and four children in Italy. No date has been set by Coroner Aubrey Wilson for the inquest.

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